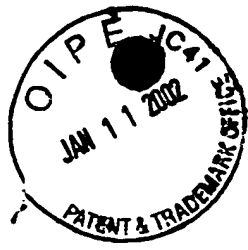


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Applicant has carefully reviewed and considered the Office Action mailed on July 5, 2001, and the references cited therewith.

Claims 1-32 are now pending in this application.

§102 Rejection of the Claims

Claims 1, 6, 11-13, 16, 17, 21, 23, 24, 27 and 29 were rejected under 35 USC § 102(a) as being anticipated by Gouko (U.S. 6,222,507). A § 1.131 Affidavit is submitted swearing behind Gouko. This rejection is now believed to be overcome.

§103 Rejection of the Claims

Claims 22, 25, 26 and 30-32 were rejected under 35 USC § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Gouko (US 6,222,507) in view of Hendry et al. (US 5,682,529). The Affidavit is believed to overcome this rejection, since Gouko is no longer a reference.

Conclusion

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney (612-373-6972) to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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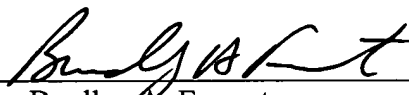
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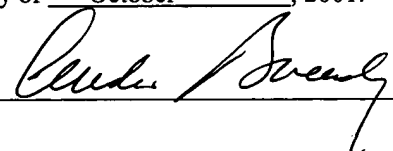
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